Attorney Docket No. 03495.0301-00

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:	
Ali AMARA et al.))) Group Art Unit: 1648)
Application No.: 10/700,507	
Filed: November 5, 2003)) Examiner: Stacy Brown Cher
For: COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING DC- SIGN BLOCKERS AND METHODS OF USING DC-SIGN BLOCKERS FOR PREVENTING OR TREATING DISEASES OF A MAMMAL, INCLUDING VIRAL INFECTIONS	Confirmation No.: 6288

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Mail Stop AF

NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Sir:

Applicants appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision mailed August 3, 2007.

The items checked below are appropriate:

Applicants previously filed a Petition for a two-month extension of time extending the period for response to the outstanding Office action to January 3, 2008. Applicants now petition for an additional one-month extension of time to extend the period for response to February 3, 2008, a Sunday. The petition fee of \$590 is enclosed.

The Notice of Appeal Fee of \$510.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 31, 2008

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